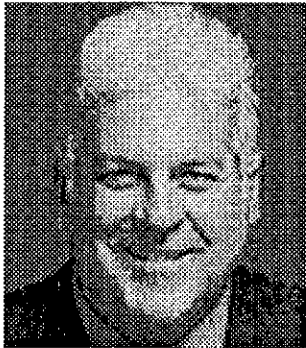


# MARINA READER

LONG BEACH PARKS, RECREATION & MARINE

## From The Manager



**Mark Sandoval,**  
**Marine Bureau Manager**

The Downtown Marinas are officially complete! Thanks to those of you that came out to the official re-opening on May 19. At least to me, this is definitely some-

thing to celebrate.

Last month, we held meetings for liveaboards on both sides of town. Thank you to those who took the time to attend those meetings. I do not thank the liveaboards enough for the value they bring to the marinas. Not only do liveaboards add security to a marina, they also provide recommendations for improvement and feedback to the marina operation that normally result in improvements for all marina customers.

One of the big issues that came up in these meetings was an increase in illegal liveaboard activity. I made an assurance at both of the meetings that we would get more aggressive in policing for illegal liveaboards. From my perspective, illegal liveaboards are stealing from the marina in that they are taking something that is of value, which is paid for by legal liveaboards. In addition, we have a waiting list for marina tenants waiting to become liveaboards. We are going to take a zero tolerance for illegal liveaboards. If reported, or if we suspect some one illegally living aboard, and that individual cannot prove that they have someplace to live, the Permit will be immediately cancelled. The rule is that a non-live-aboard can stay overnight for twelve nights a calen-

dar month. If you suspect someone is an illegal live-aboard, staying more than the twelve nights, do not hesitate to notify the marina office – your anonymity will be maintained.

Another issue that was brought to my attention was that some customers let individuals they do not know into a customer restroom. Please remember that these are shower rooms as well as heads, and the security of these restrooms needs to be maintained. You may think that this is a generous gesture, but it reduces the security for your fellow marina tenants.

Finally, there were questions about the wireless Internet service in the marinas. The service provider is installing better equipment, and it is still my intention to ultimately offer it as a free service in the marinas. Please be patient.

*As always, happy and healthy boating*

*Mark A. Sandoval*



**Official Re-Opening of the Downtown Marinas**

# CLEAN MARINAS

## Clean Marinas Depend on Everyone

Prevent pollution from oil and gas spills to help maintain a healthy and aesthetically pleasing recreational environment for boaters and others.

There are some actions you can take to prevent oil and gas spills:

- Use caution when filling your fuel tank and don't top off. Attend the fuel nozzle at all times.
- Catch fuel drips with a rag. Properly dispose of soiled rags.
- Do not hose down gas spills, or apply detergents or soaps to

an oil sheen.

- Install fuel tank vent whistles or fuel/air separators to avoid spills.
- Inspect fuel lines and hoses periodically. Replace as needed.
- Use funnels for pouring oil and keep a supply of absorbent pads onboard for cleaning up spills.
- Dispose of used oil and drained oil filters at a waste-oil recycling center.
- If a spill occurs, call 911, or from your cell phone dial 562-435-6711.

## TIDE CHART FOR JULY 2007

		LOW TIDE				HIGH TIDE			
	AM	Ht.	PM	Ht.	AM	Ht.	PM	Ht.	
1. Su	5:05	-0.9	3:56	2.5	11:48	3.7	10:13	6.2	
2. Mo	5:40	-0.9	4:42	2.5	12:24	3.8	10:53	6.0	
3. Tu	6:16	-0.7	5:36	2.5	1:02	4.0	11:36	5.6	
4. We	6:53	-0.4	6:39	2.5	--	--	1:41	4.2	
5. Th	7:31	0.0	7:56	2.3	12:26	5.1	2:23	4.5	
6. Fr	8:11	0.5	9:25	1.9	1:27	4.4	3:08	4.8	
7. Sa	8:56	1.1	10:56	1.3	2:48	3.7	3:56	5.2	
8. Su	9:47	1.7	--	--	4:33	3.2	4:47	5.6	
9. Mo	12:14	0.6	10:46	2.1	6:23	3.1	5:40	6.0	
10. Tu	1:17	-0.2	11:51	2.4	7:49	3.3	6:33	6.4	
11. We	2:11	-0.8	12:54	2.5	8:51	3.5	7:25	6.7	
12. Th	2:58	-1.2	1:51	2.5	9:40	3.8	8:14	6.8	
13. Fr	3:42	-1.4	2:42	2.4	10:21	3.9	9:00	6.9	
14. Sa	4:23	-1.4	3:30	2.3	11:00	4.1	9:44	6.8	
15. Su	5:02	-1.2	4:16	2.2	11:37	4.2	10:25	6.4	
16. Mo	5:38	-0.9	5:03	2.2	12:13	4.2	11:06	6.0	
17. Tu	6:12	-0.5	5:51	2.3	12:48	4.3	11:45	5.4	
18. We	6:44	0.0	6:45	2.3	--	--	1:24	4.4	
19. Th	7:15	0.6	7:48	2.3	12:27	4.7	2:01	4.5	
20. Fr	7:45	1.2	9:08	2.2	1:14	4.0	2:41	4.5	
21. Sa	8:15	1.7	10:44	1.9	2:19	3.3	3:23	4.6	
22. Su	8:48	2.2	--	--	4:07	2.8	4:14	4.8	
23. Mo	12:11	1.5	9:37	2.7	6:40	2.8	5:08	4.9	
24. Tu	1:10	1.0	10:56	2.9	8:14	3.1	6:00	5.2	
25. We	1:54	0.5	12:10	3.0	8:55	3.3	6:47	5.5	
26. Th	2:30	0.0	1:05	2.9	9:22	3.5	7:29	5.9	
27. Fr	3:03	-0.4	1:51	2.7	9:47	3.7	8:09	6.2	
28. Sa	3:35	-0.7	2:32	2.5	10:11	3.9	8:47	6.5	
29. Su	4:06	-0.8	3:13	2.3	10:37	4.1	9:25	6.6	
30. Mo	4:37	-0.9	3:56	2.1	11:05	4.3	10:05	6.5	
31. Tu	5:08	-0.8	4:42	1.9	11:35	4.5	10:46	6.2	

## PHONE NUMBERS TO KEEP ON HAND

Long Beach Police  
Marine Patrol Emergency  
911 or 9911 (Dock Phone)

Non Emergency  
(562) 435-6711

Maintenance during  
working hours  
(562) 570-1582

Alamitos Bay Office  
(562) 570-3215

Shoreline Office  
(562) 570-4950

Rainbow Harbor  
(562) 570-8636

After office hours  
(562) 570-3101

## CLASSES 07

The U.S. Coast Guard Auxiliary Flotilla 15-2 will be offering the popular **AMERICA'S BOATING COURSE** in three-session format. The class will meet Saturday, July 14, 21 and 28 from 9 a.m. to 12 noon at the Seal Beach Yacht Club, 255 Marina Drive in Long Beach. Unlike previous courses the text includes a CD-ROM to assist home study.

The course describes types of boats, including PWCs, trailering, knots, rules of the road and navigation, operating a boat, legal requirements and boating emergencies.

The \$35 fee includes the text, CD, and a proctored examination that is required to receive a certificate of completion. Many insurance companies offer discounts to boaters completing the course. Pre-registration is required.

Contact Beth or Burt Irwin 714-897-5200 or e-mail [abirwin1@earthlink.net](mailto:abirwin1@earthlink.net)

# The Sea Festival Returns

As the oldest continuously running event in the city, the Long Beach Sea Festival is a summer icon in the community. In the June issue of the Marina Reader, information was provided about the boating related events that would be taking place in July.

There are several other events that take place beginning in late June and running through August, a partial list is below. The complete calendar is available in the marina offices, or at [www.longbeachseafestival.com](http://www.longbeachseafestival.com), or [www.longbeach.gov/park](http://www.longbeach.gov/park).

**6/22-24** - Long Beach Bayou Festival, Rainbow Lagoon Park

**6/23** - Sinjin Beach Volleyball Collegiate Open, Belmont Shore Beach Courts

**6/23-7/15** - 9th Annual Shakespeare Festival, Romeo & Juliet, Long Beach Aquarium Lawn

**6/24-7/4** - The Great Beach Treasure Hunt, The Long Beach Press Telegram & Beachfront

**6/28** - Long Beach Municipal Band Concert, Marine Stadium

**6/30** - Sinjin Beach Volleyball Youth Tournament, Belmont Shore Beach Courts

**6/30-7/1** - Pier Daze, Seafood & Pirate Festival, Belmont Veterans Memorial Pier

## Dear Readers:

*You're invited to break out your pirate finery, hoist a pirates flag, and cruise on by and join in the fun at the PierDaze Pirate Festival on June 30 at the Belmont Veterans Memorial Pier. For more information visit [www.longbeachseafestival.com](http://www.longbeachseafestival.com).*

**7/1** - Pacific Open Water Challenge & Pacific 5K, Belmont Veterans Memorial Pier

**7/2,3,5,6** - Youth Sailing on American Pride, Rainbow Lagoon

**7/4** - July 4th Fireworks & Music Festival, Marina Green

**7/5** - Sea Festival Beach Clean Ups - 2nd Annual Independence from Litter Day, either side of Belmont Veterans Memorial Pier

**7/5** - Long Beach Municipal Band Concerts, Marine Stadium

**7/7** - Sinjin Beach Volleyball Corporate Challenge (Prelims), Belmont Shore Beach Courts

**7/7** - Noah Kalama Outrigger Canoe Sprint Regatta, South Shore of Belmont Pier to Granada Landing

**7/7-8** - Classic Boat & Yacht Festival, Rainbow Harbor & Pine Avenue Pier

**7/9-15** - TransPac - 1st Departure 7/9, 2nd Departure 7/12, 3rd Departure 7/15, Rainbow Harbor

**7/10** - Moonlight Movies on the Beach, Granada Beach

**7/12** - Long Beach Municipal Band Concert, Marine Stadium

**7/13** - Sinjin Beach Volleyball City Beach Day, Rainbow Lagoon

**7/13** - Sea Festival Citywide Beach Days, Mothers Beach

**7/14** - Sinjin Beach Volleyball Collegiate Championships, Rainbow Lagoon

**7/14** - Sinjin Beach Volleyball Special Olympic Kids Day, Belmont Shore Beach Courts

**7/16-22** - AVP Crocs Pro Beach Volleyball, Rainbow Lagoon

**7/17** - Long Beach Municipal Band Concerts, Bixby Bluff

**7/17** - Moonlight Movies in the Beach, Granada Beach

**7/18-21** - Mayor's Cup, Spectating off Belmont Veterans Memorial Pier

**7/19** - Long Beach Municipal Band Concert, Marine Stadium

**7/20** - Catalina Ski Club "Special Needs Children's Day," Marine Stadium

**7/20-22** - Long Beach Seafest Kiteboarding Challenge, Belmont Shore - Granada Launch Ramp

**7/21-8/12** - 9th Annual Shakespeare Festival - The Comedy of Errors, Long Beach Aquarium Lawn

**7/21** - Kahakai Sprints, Marine Stadium

**7/21** - 59th Annual Long Beach/Catalina Island/Long Beach Ski Race, Long Beach Harbor

**7/22** - Long Beach/Catalina/Long Beach Jet Ski Race, Long Beach Harbor

**7/22** - 96th Anniversary Offshore Power Boat Race - Long Beach/Catalina Isthmus/Avalon/Long Beach, Long Beach Harbor

**7/24** - Long Beach Municipal Band Concerts, Bixby Bluff

**7/24** - Moonlight Movies in the Beach, Granada Beach

**7/26** - Long Beach Municipal Band Concert, Marine Stadium

**7/26** - Jessica Uniak Memorial Beach-Bay Regatta, ABYC & Alamitos Bay

**7/27-29** - 2007 View Sonic Long Beach Dragon Boat Festival, Marine Stadium

**7/28** - Sinjin Beach Volleyball Corporate Challenge Championships (Final), AVP Stadium

**7/31** - Long Beach Municipal Band Concerts, Bixby Bluff

**7/31** - Moonlight Movies in the Beach, Granada Beach